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Attachments

FCC Form 481

Line 100- Service Quality Improvement Reporting
{47 CFR 54.313(a)(1)}

In the FCC's Public Notice DA 14-951, released May 1, 2014, the FCC waived the requirement for price cap ETCs to file a five-year plan.¹

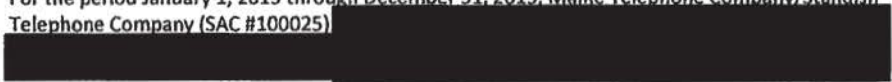
¹ The Public Notice stated, in relevant part:

We now grant a waiver of this requirement for price cap ETCs for an additional year. Because the Bureau just finalized the Connect America Cost Model, and price cap carriers have not yet had the opportunity to make a state-level commitment for Connect America Phase II, we find that it is not in the public interest to require price cap ETCs to file new five-year plans in 2014 for the same reason as last year: they do not yet know which areas they will be serving in the future.

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Maine Telephone Company/Standish Telephone Company
100025
Line 310

For the period January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013, Maine Telephone Company/Standish Telephone Company (SAC #100025)



Standish/Maine Telephone Company
100025

Line 330

For the period January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013, Maine Telephone Company (SAC #100025) had



Standish Telephone Company/Maine Telephone Company

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Line 510: Service Quality Reporting/Consumer Protection Rules Compliance

Standish Telephone Company/Maine Telephone Company, hereby certifies that it is complying with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules. The Company complies with service quality and consumer protection provisions under state law. These provisions include, but are not limited to, the following: (1) filing a Local Exchange Tariff pursuant to the requirements of The Maine Public Service Commission which discloses rates, terms and conditions of service to customers; (2) compliance with state consumer protection provisions relating to Customer Services as identified in the Code of State Regulations, compliance with provisions for Quality of Service as identified in the Code of State Regulations, compliance with Service Objectives as identified in the Code of State Regulations, compliance with customer inquiry procedure as identified in the Code of State Regulations, compliance with Dispute standards as identified in the Code of State Regulations; (3) compliance with truth-in-billing requirements; and (4) compliance with Federal CPNI rules, Red Flag Rules and other applicable federal and state requirements governing the protection of customers' privacy.

In establishing this certification in its 2005 ETC Order,¹ the FCC found that an ETC must make "a specific commitment to objective measures to protect consumers."² The Commission found that for wireless ETCs, compliance with CTIA's Consumer Code for Wireless Service would satisfy this requirement and that the sufficiency of other commitments would be considered on a case-by-case basis. In this context, the FCC stated, "to the extent a wireline or wireless ETC applicant is subject to consumer protection obligations under state law, compliance with such laws may meet our requirement."³

Maine Telephone Company, Standish Telephone Company, China Telephone Company, Northland Telephone Company and Sidney Telephone company (collectively the TG companies) are not currently under any "formal" Service Quality Reporting. The companies do report Service quality metrics on a quarterly basis. This is based on a verbal agreement with the Maine Public Utilities commission (the PUC). The TG companies report quarterly on 5 metrics: The five metrics are – Network Trouble report rate, % troubles not cleared in 24 hours, % install appointments not met, Average delay days for missed appointments, and outages. There are no benchmarks and no consequences for not reaching certain numbers.

If a customer has a concern about their FairPoint Communications' service or billing, he/she can contact repair service, technical support or customer service with information found on their statement. Customers may also contact agencies, through information posted in the phone directory, website, and tariff pages. All consumer complaints whether from Attorney Generals' offices, Public Utility Commissions, Better Business Bureaus, Federal Communications Commission and all other agencies are sent to the FairPoint Communications' Maine office via U.S. Mail or by electronic mail at consumer@fairpoint.com. The complaints are directed to the appropriate responsible Company Team member within FairPoint Communications for resolution and response to the customer.

¹ *Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service*, CC Docket No. 96-45, Report and Order, FCC 05-46 (rel. Mar. 17, 2005) ("2005 ETC Order").

² *Id.* at para. 28.



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Form 481 Line 610: Functionality In Emergency Situations

Business Continuity Plan Overview

Introduction

FairPoint Communications, Inc. ("FairPoint") is committed to maintaining a vigilant state of disaster preparedness for the interests of our customers, stockholders, employees and other critical stakeholders.

The purpose of our Business Continuity Plan (BCP) is to define the disaster preparedness and recovery protocols and procedures required to restore FairPoint's critical business support functions, inside and outside plant systems and operations within FairPoint's operating footprint.

BCP components detail FairPoint's procedures for preparing for and responding to an emergency situation affecting our ability to deliver core services to our customers and our ability to meet legal dictates, and regulatory requirements.

This document discusses the following:

- BCP Scope & Structure
- Recovery Strategies and Logistics
- Plan Maintenance and Exercising

BCP Scope

FairPoint's business continuity response planning is concentrated on two critical operational areas:

- Customer Interfacing – It is recognized that a "business impact" only occurs when an external-interfacing element is disrupted. In essence, this means that if FairPoint experiences a disruptive event, but one that does not breach the outer-shell of the FairPoint operation and interrupt critical customer services, customer product or other external end-user, then it does not have a business impact, as defined by the BCP
- Infrastructure Integrity – Without critical infrastructure systems, the ability for all other FairPoint business operations (back/front office) can come to a halt. It is these infrastructure systems that provide the critical human-factor of our customer-interfacing services. Critical infrastructure would address such services / systems as, building space for staff, service utilities, telecom network, IT network, etc.

The BCP has been developed to assure the continuity of critical customer interfacing services and systems should a physical incident or workforce disruption event occur, which affects:

- IT/IS
- Administrative and Support Operations
- Inside and Outside Plant Operations
- NOC (Network Operations Center)
- E-9-1-1
- Dispatch
- Repair Center

FairPoint has developed response / recovery strategies addressing physically disruptive incidents and workforce related disruptive incidents (i.e., work-stoppage and pandemic). All response strategies are based on recovery time objectives of those department functions and critical infrastructure systems essential to sustain customer interfacing services.



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BCP Structure

The BCP consists of several components:

- The BCP Manual (an overview of all BCP documents)
- IR Playbooks (addresses the response procedures for Physical and Workforce related events),
- Appendices (the IR Playbook procedures links to these Resources Files)
- Department Recovery Plans (Business and Plant Operations)
- Business Impact Assessments (Business and Plant Operations)

The Event Response diagram below identifies the overall BCP documentation and how a disruption or incident will dictate which path of the BCP will be followed to restore business operations.

Once the incident or disruption occurs, the impact first needs to be quickly assessed to determine whether it is a physically disruptive event (local or regional) ("Physically Disruptive Event") or a workforce disruptive event (work-stoppage or pandemic) ("Work-Force Related Disruptive Event"). The disruption is always focused on critical business operations and services that can impact customer interfacing / deliverables.



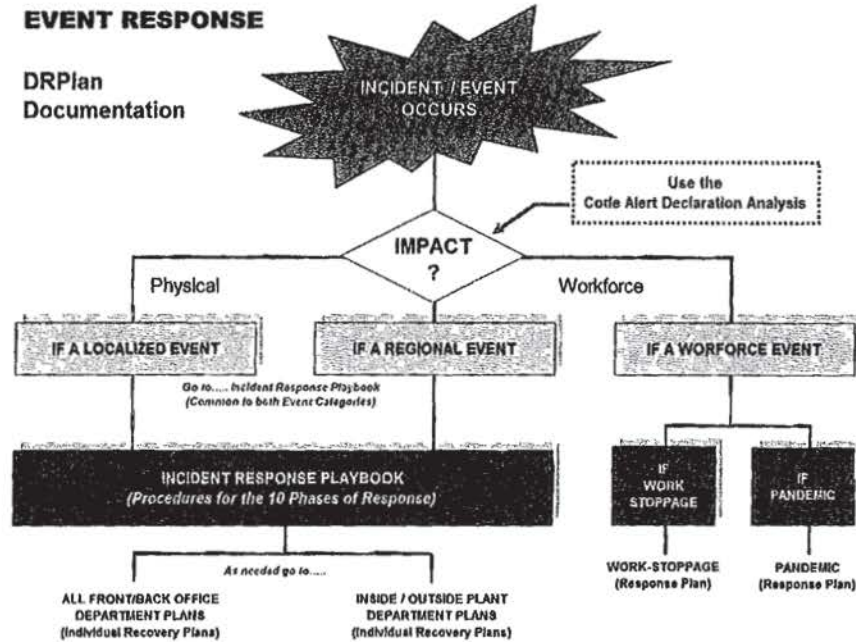
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EVENT RESPONSE

DRPlan
Documentation



Recovery Strategies and Logistics

Our BCP is based on the premise that FairPoint cannot stop disasters from occurring, but we can address the IMPACT of incidents should they occur. Where possible we will provide risk mitigation measures that will minimize the likelihood of having a serious disruptive incident but in no case can we eliminate all disruptive possibilities. The BCP is triggered by a Disruption Scenario, not a Threat Scenario. FairPoint pre-plans for potential break-points that can result in a customer interfacing disruption and incorporates recovery strategies that will inherently address any potential threat and any resulting business disruption impact. The actual threat (i.e. fire, flood, etc.) is pertinent only with respect to immediate response activities. All subsequent response efforts are focused on the assessment of damages (physical losses and recovery duration) and the implementation of restoration and recovery strategies. The restoration of the business servicing operations and infrastructure systems is based on salvage, replacement of systems and alternate functionality measures, which are pre-defined in the BCP.

Each department has developed a recovery plan based on its critical operations as they pertain to the deliverables they contribute to our customers. FairPoint has triaged the recovery efforts based on the concept of customer servicing impact. Federal and State regulatory requirements have a high level of consideration in



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addition to the business impact concerns. The BCP goal is to minimize the disruption duration as much as is practical and provide a level of risk mitigation that will maintain critical operations.

The Ten Response Phases of Physical Event are:

- Incident Notification
- Visual Damage Assessment
- Incident Stabilization
- Command Center Initiation
- Initial Notifications to Business Departments – to activate plans
- Primary Site Damage Assessments
- Ready Alternate Restoration Sites
- Primary Site Salvage & Recovery
- Business Restoration Process
- Primary Site Re-established

Plan Maintenance and Exercising

The BCP is a living document. Updates to the plan are ongoing with changes incorporated annually at a minimum. Individual plan components are scenario tested with oversight from FairPoint's Corporate Risk Management Team.

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Berkshire Cable Corp.		dba FairPoint Long Distance	
Berkshire Cellular, Inc.			
Berkshire New York Access, Inc.			
Berkshire Telephone Corporation	150073	dba FairPoint Communications	
Big Sandy Telecom, Inc.	482193	dba FairPoint Communications / Big Sandy Telecom, Inc.	
Bluestem Telephone Company	411835	dba FairPoint Communications	
C & R Communications, Ltd.			
Chautauqua & Erie Communications, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance	
Chautauqua and Erie Telephone Corporation	150078	dba FairPoint Communications	
China Telephone Company	107006	dba FairPoint Communications ? China Telephone Company	
Chouteau Telephone Company	421581	dba FairPoint Communications	
Columbine Telecoo Company (f/k/a Columbine Acquisition Corp.	462404	dba FairPoint Communications / Columbine Telecom Company	
Columbus Grove Telephone Company	300404	dba FairPoint Communications	
COM Networks, Inc.			
Comerco, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance	
Community Service Telephone Co.	160815	dba FairPoint Communications ? Community Service Telephone Co.	
C-R Communications, Inc.			
C-R Long Distance, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance / C-R Long Distance, Inc.	
C-R Telephone Company	341009	dba FairPoint Communications / C-R Telephone Company	
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Ellensburg Telephone Company	322112	dba FairPoint Communications	

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<81>	Operating Company	Maine Telephone Company

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Enhanced Communications of Northern New England Inc.		
ExOp of Missouri, Inc.		dba FairPoint Communications
FairPoint Broadband, Inc.		dba FairPoint Communications
FairPoint Business Services LLC		
FairPoint Carrier Services, Inc.		
FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc.	421472	dba FairPoint Communications
FairPoint Logistics, Inc. (f/k/a MJD Capital Corp.)		
FairPoint Vermont, Inc.		dba FairPoint Communications
Germantown Independent Telephone Company	700418	dba FairPoint Communications
Germantown Long Distance Company		dba FairPoint Long Distance
GTC Communications, Inc. (f/k/a TPO Communications, Inc.)		
GTC, Inc.	250291	(Floralis) dba FairPoint Communications
GTC, Inc.	250329	(Perry) dba FairPoint Communications
Maine Telephone Company	100023	dba FairPoint Communications ? Maine Telephone Company
Marianna and Scenery Hill Telephone Company	170185	dba FairPoint Communications
Marianna Tel, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
MJD Services Corp.		
MJD Ventures, Inc.		
Northern New England Telephone Operations LLC - Maine	100111	dba FairPoint Communications
Northern New England Telephone Operations LLC - Maine	120111	dba FairPoint Communications
Northland Telephone Company of Maine, Inc.	101211	dba FairPoint Communications ? Northland Telephone Company of Maine, Inc. (Maine)
Odin Telephone Exchange, Inc.	141085	dba FairPoint Communications / Odin Telephone Exchange, Inc.

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	Peoples Mutual Long Distance Company		dba FairPoint Long Distance
	Peoples Mutual Telephone Company	100244	dba FairPoint Communications
	Quality One Technologies, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
	Ravenswood Communications, Inc.		
	Sidney Telephone Company	162323	dba FairPoint Communications ? Sidney Telephone Company
	ST Enterprises, Ltd.		
	ST Long Distance, Inc.		FairPoint Long Distance (Kansas, Colorado, Oklahoma)
	ST Long Distance, Inc.		FairPoint Long Distance / ST Long Distance, Inc. (Illinois)
	ST Long Distance, Inc.		FairPoint Communications Long Distance (Missouri)
	St. Joe Communications, Inc.	210339	dba FairPoint Communications
	Standish Telephone Company	100025	dba FairPoint Communications ? Standish Telephone Company
	Sunflower Telephone Company, Inc.	441835	dba FairPoint Communications/Sunflower Telephone Company, Inc. (Colorado)
	Taconic Technology Corp.		
	Taconic TelCom Corp.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
	Taconic Telephone Corp.	100004	dba FairPoint Communications
	Telephone Operating Company of Vermont LLC	145435	dba FairPoint Communications
	The El Paso Telephone Company	343074	dba FairPoint Communications
	UI Long Distance, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
	Unite Communications Systems, Inc.		FairPoint Communications
	Utilities, Inc.		dba FairPoint Communications (Maine)
	Utilities, Inc.		dba FairPoint Utilities (New Hampshire)

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Line 1010 –Voice Service Rate Comparability

The pricing of the company's voice services is no more than two standard deviations above the applicable national average urban rate for voice service, as specified in the most recent public notice, FCC DA14-384 released on March 20, 2014.

For Rates See Attachment: (700) Company Price Offerings (voice)

Form 481 Line 1210- Terms & Conditions for Lifeline Customers

Maine Telephone Company provides a Lifeline Program discount for residence service for eligible low income customers. The Lifeline Program discount is applied to any month to month residence local service, package or bundle offering. The discount is intended to offset the Subscriber Line Charge and local line charge, although eligible packages and bundles may have toll calling included in the pricing for the offering.

The Catalog pages outlining the terms of the Lifeline Program in Maine Telephone Company are attached. The terms and conditions of residential basic local exchange service, package and bundle offerings can be found at <http://www.tariffs.net/fairpoint/tier.asp?cid=1644>.

Form 481 Line 1210- Terms & Conditions for Lifeline Customers

CHINA TELEPHONE COMPANY
MAINE TELEPHONE COMPANY
NORTHLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MAINE INC.
SIDNEY TELEPHONE COMPANY
STANDISH TELEPHONE COMPANY
D/B/A FAIRPOINT COMMUNICATIONS

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LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

CHINA TELEPHONE COMPANY, MAINE TELEPHONE COMPANY, NORTHLAND
TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MAINE, SIDNEY TELEPHONE COMPANY, STANDISH
TELEPHONE COMPANY

GENERAL SYSTEMS AND SERVICES (Cont'd)

LIFELINE PROGRAM

- (1) The Company shall provide Lifeline service as defined in 47 C.F.R. § 54.401 (a) on a non-discriminatory basis to all qualifying low-income customers. The Company's Lifeline service offering shall comply with all applicable federal and state laws, including, but not limited to 47 C.F.R. Part 54, Subpart B; the FCC's Lifeline reform order (Report and Order released February 6, 2012, WC Docket No. 11-42, et.al) and any subsequent clarifying orders.

Form 481 Line 1210- Terms & Conditions for Lifeline Customers

CHINA TELEPHONE COMPANY
 MAINE TELEPHONE COMPANY
 NORTHLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY OF MAINE, INC.
 SIDNEY TELEPHONE COMPANY
 STANDISH TELEPHONE COMPANY
 D/B/A FAIRPOINT COMMUNICATIONS

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GENERAL SERVICES

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P. SCREENED ONE PARTY SERVICE (Cont'd)

4. TOLL RESTRICTION SERVICE (Cont'd)

b. Rates and Charges

1. The following rates and charges are in addition to all other applicable rates and charges.

	<u>Non Recurring Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Charge</u>
Per central office line equipped	*	\$5.00

*Appropriate Section Service Charges apply.

2. Regulations regarding connection of terminal equipment as shown in Section 7 apply.
3. If a Customer has a scheduled payment arrangement which is agreed to by both the Company and the Customer to collect a past due balance, the Company may at its discretion waive the service charges and monthly rates when the service is added as a means of controlling the Customers bill.
4. For any Customer that qualifies under the Lifeline Assistance Program the Company will waive the service charge and monthly rates for Toll Restriction Service.

c. Payment Arrangement Provisions

1. When a Customer's local serving office is suitably equipped to provide screened billing the company may waive a Customer's payment of the service charges and monthly rates when the feature is added as a means of controlling a Customer's bill. If a Customer fails to complete a payment arrangement that has been renegotiated at least once the company may require screened billing as a condition to negotiations for the third or subsequent arrangement. The screened billing will remain on the line until the arrangement is completed

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Effective Date: August 30, 2012

Michael T. Skrivan
 Vice President - Regulatory



June 30, 2014

Connect America Fund, WC Docket No. 10-90

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Marianna-Scenery Hill Tel. Co.

Form 111-C Annual Reporting Data Collection Form		OMB Control No. 2002-0004 07/30/11
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ANNUAL REPORTING FOR ALL CARRIERS		170185 Completion Required	170185 Completion Required
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Price Cap Carriers, Proceed to Price Cap Additional Documentation Worksheet			
Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers			
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(100) Service Quality Improvement Reporting Data Collection Form	FCC Form 481 OMB Control No. 3060-0986/OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<110> Has your company received its ETC certification from the FCC?	(yes / no) <input type="radio"/> <input checked="" type="radio"/>
If your answer to Line <110> is yes, do you have an existing §54.202(a) "5 year plan" filed with the FCC?	(yes / no) <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>

If your answer to Line <111> is yes, then you are required to file a progress report, on line <112> delineating the status of your company's existing § 54.202(a) "5 year plan" on file with the FCC, as it relates to your provision of voice telephony service.

<112> Attach Five-Year Service Quality Improvement Plan or, in subsequent years, your annual progress report filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(a)(1). If your company is a CETC which only receives frozen support, your progress report is only required to address voice telephony service.

112 Service Quality Improvement Reporting.pdf

Name of Attached Document

Please check these boxes below to confirm that the attached documents(s), on line 112, contains a progress report on its five-year service quality improvement plan pursuant to § 54.202(a). The information shall be submitted at the wire center level or census block as appropriate.

- <113>** Maps detailing progress towards meeting plan targets
- <114>** Report how much universal service (USF) support was received
- <115>** How (USF) was used to improve service quality
- <116>** How (USF) was used to improve service coverage
- <117>** How (USF) was used to improve service capacity
- <118>** Provide an explanation of network improvement targets not met in the prior calendar year.

(200) Service Outage Reporting (Voice) FCC Form 481
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-- See attached worksheet --

(900) Tribal Lands Reporting Data Collection Form		FCO Form 451 OMB Control No. 3060-0935 / OMB Control No. 3060-0819 July 2013
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<910> Tribal Land(s) on which ETC Serves

<920> Tribal Government Engagement Obligation

Name of Attached Document

If your company serves Tribal lands, please select (Yes, No, NA) for each these boxes to confirm the status described on the attached document(s), on line 920, demonstrates coordination with the Tribal government pursuant to § 54.313(a)(9) includes:

- <921> Needs assessment and deployment planning with a focus on Tribal community anchor institutions.
- <922> Feasibility and sustainability planning;
- <923> Marketing services in a culturally sensitive manner;
- <924> Compliance with Rights of way processes
- <925> Compliance with Land Use permitting requirements
- <926> Compliance with Facilities Siting rules
- <927> Compliance with Environmental Review processes
- <928> Compliance with Cultural Preservation review processes
- <929> Compliance with Tribal Business and Licensing requirements.

Select (Yes, No, NA)

(1100) No Terrestrial Backhaul Reporting		FCC Form 481
Data Collection Form		OMB Control No. 3060-0085 OMB Control No. 3060-0819
		JULY 2013

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Please check this box to confirm no terrestrial backhaul options exist within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(G) ☐

Please check this box to confirm the reporting carrier offers broadband service of at least 1 Mbps downstream and 256 kbps upstream within the supported area pursuant to § 54.313(G) ☐

(1200) Terms and Condition for Lifeline Customers		FCC Form 487
Lifeline Data Collection Form		OMB Control No. 3060-0986 / OMB Control No. 3060-0819
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<1210> Terms & Conditions of Voice Telephony Lifeline Plans

170185pa:210.pdf

Name of Attached Document

<1220> Link to Public Website

HTTP ://www.tariffs.net/fairpoint/tlec.asp?cid=1644

*Please check these boxes below to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 1210, or the website listed, on line 1220, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.422(a)(2) annual reporting for ETCs receiving low-income support, carriers must annually report:

- <1221> Information describing the terms and conditions of any voice telephony service plans offered to Lifeline subscribers, ☒
- <1222> Details on the number of minutes provided as part of the plan, ☒
- <1223> Additional charges for toll calls, and rates for each such plan. ☒

(2000) Price Cap Carrier Additional Documentation Data Collection Form Including Rate-of-Return Carriers affiliated with Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers		FCC Form 401 Form 401-101 OMB Control No. 3060-0596/OMB Control No. 3060-0613 July 2013
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CHECK the boxes below to note compliance as a recipient of Incremental Connect America Phase I support, frozen High Cost support, High Cost support to offset access charge reductions, and Connect America Phase II support as set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(b),(c),(d),(e) the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.

Incremental Connect America Phase I reporting		
<2010>	2nd Year Certification (47 CFR § 54.313(b)(1))	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Price Cap Carrier Receiving Frozen Support Certification (47 CFR § 54.312(a))		
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Price Cap Carrier Connect America IOC Support (47 CFR § 54.313(d))		
<2016>	Certification Support Used to Build Broadband	<input type="checkbox"/>
Connect America Phase II Reporting (47 CFR § 54.313(e))		
<2017>	3rd year Broadband Service Certification	<input type="checkbox"/>
<2018>	5th year Broadband Service Certification	<input type="checkbox"/>
<2019>	Interim Progress Certification	<input type="checkbox"/>
<2020>	Please check the box to confirm that the attached document(s), on line 2021, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313 (e)(3)(ii), as a recipient of CAF Phase II support shall provide the number, names, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which began providing access to broadband service in the preceding calendar year.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<2021>	Interim Progress Community Anchor Institutions	

Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information

CDIS#	Study Area Code	10185
CDIS#	Study Area Name	MASTLONA - DC02023Y
CD000	Program Year	2015
CD000	Contact Name - Person UACB should contact regarding this data	Balaban, G.L@2500
CD000	Contact Telephone Number - Number of person identified in data line CD000	202554125 ext.
CD000	Contact Email Address - Email Address of person identified in data line CD000	gml2500@calipsoinc.com
<p>CDIS# the boxes below to note compliance on a five year renewal quality plan (pursuant to 47 CFR § 54.313(b)) and, for privately held carriers, ensuring compliance with the financial reporting requirements set forth in 47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2). I hereby certify that the information reported on this form and in the documents attached below is accurate.</p>		
CD001	Progress Report on 5 Year Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Attachment CD001: (47 CFR § 54.313(f)(1)(i))</p> <p>Name of Attached Document Listing Required Information</p>		
CD011	Please check the box to confirm that the attached document(s), on file 2012 contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313 (f)(1)(i), the carrier will provide the number, name, and addresses of community anchor institutions to which began providing access to broadband services in the preceding calendar year.	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD012	Community Anchor Institutions (47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2)(i))	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD013	Is your company a Privately Held Carrier (47 CFR § 54.313(f)(2))	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CD014	If yes, does your company file the BUS annual report	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CD015	Please check these boxes to confirm that the attached document(s), on file 2017, contains the required information pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2) compliance includes:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CD015	Electronic copy of their annual BUS reports (Operating Report for Telecommunications Network)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CD016	Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CD017	If the response is yes on line 2014, attach your company's BUS annual report and all required documentation	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD018	If the response is no on line 2014, is your company audited	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD019	If the response is yes on line 2018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission, on file 2020 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2) contains:	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD020	Either a copy of their audited financial statements or (1) a financial report in a format comparable to BUS Operating Report for Telecommunications	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD021	Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD022	Management letter issued by the independent certified public accountant that performed the company's financial audit.	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD023	If the response is no on line 2018, please check the boxes below to confirm your submission, on file 2020 pursuant to § 54.313(f)(2), contains:	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD024	Copy of their financial statement which has been subject to review by an independent certified public accountant, or (2) a financial report in a format comparable to BUS Operating Report for Telecommunications	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD025	Document(s) for Balance Sheet, Income Statement and Statement of Cash Flows	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD026	Underlying information subjected to a review by an independent certified public accountant	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD027	Underlying information subjected to an officer certification.	<input type="checkbox"/>
CD028	Attachment the worksheet listing required information	<input type="checkbox"/>

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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF THE REPORTING CARRIER IS FILING ANNUAL REPORTING ON ITS OWN BEHALF:

Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the Data Reported for the Annual Reporting for CAF or LJ Recipients	
I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the annual reporting requirements for universal service support recipients; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form and in any attachments is accurate.	
Name of Reporting Carrier: MARIANNA - SCENERY	
Signature of Authorized Officer: CERTIFIED ONLINE	Date: 06/24/14
Printed name of Authorized Officer: Mike Skrivon	
Title or position of Authorized Officer: VP Regulatory	
Telephone number of Authorized Officer: 2075355100 ext.	
Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier: 170185	Filing Due Date for this form: 07/01/2014
Persons willfully making false statements on this form can be punished by fine or forfeiture under the Communications Act of 1934, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.	

Attachments

FCC Form 481

Line 100- Service Quality Improvement Reporting
(47 CFR 54.313(a)(1))

In the FCC's Public Notice DA 14-951, released May 1, 2014, the FCC waived the requirement for price cap ETCs to file a five-year plan.¹

¹ The Public Notice stated, in relevant part:

We now grant a waiver of this requirement for price cap ETCs for an additional year. Because the Bureau just finalized the Connect America Cost Model, and price cap carriers have not yet had the opportunity to make a state-level commitment for Connect America Phase II, we find that it is not in the public interest to require price cap ETCs to file new five-year plans in 2014 for the same reason as last year: they do not yet know which areas they will be serving in the future.

Marianna - Scenery
170185
Line 310

For the period January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013, Marianna - Scenery (SAC #170185)



Marianna - Scenery
170185
Line 330

For the period January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013, Marianna - Scenery (SAC #170185) had



**Marianna and Scenery Hill Telephone Company
Pennsylvania**

170185

Line 510: Service Quality Reporting/Consumer Protection Rules Compliance

Bentleyville Telephone Company, hereby certifies that it is complying with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules. The Company complies with service quality and consumer protection provisions under state law. These provisions include, but are not limited to, the following: (1) filing a Local Exchange Tariff pursuant to the requirements of The Pennsylvania Public Service Commission which discloses rates, terms and conditions of service to customers; (2) compliance with state consumer protection provisions relating to Customer Services as identified in the Code of State Regulations, compliance with provisions for Quality of Service as identified in the Code of State Regulations, compliance with Service Objectives as identified in the Code of State Regulations, compliance with customer Inquiry procedure as identified in the Code of State Regulations, compliance with Dispute standards as identified in the Code of State Regulations; (3) compliance with truth-in-billing requirements; and (4) compliance with Federal CPNI rules, Red Flag Rules and other applicable federal and state requirements governing the protection of customers' privacy.

In establishing this certification in its 2005 ETC Order,¹ the FCC found that an ETC must make "a specific commitment to objective measures to protect consumers."² The Commission found that for wireless ETCs, compliance with CTIA's Consumer Code for Wireless Service would satisfy this requirement and that the sufficiency of other commitments would be considered on a case-by-case basis. In this context, the FCC stated, "to the extent a wireline or wireless ETC applicant is subject to consumer protection obligations under state law, compliance with such laws may meet our requirement."³

Bentleyville Communications Corporation d/b/a FairPoint Communications and Marianna and Scenery Hill Telephone Company d/b/a FairPoint Communications, have only a reactive Service Quality Reporting obligation. Rule 52 Pa. code 63.51-63.65 states that a Public Utility providing "simple residential or business voice grade services" that fails to meet a stated average level or operation required for a period of three (3) consecutive months must take immediate steps as outlined in the rules. Corrective actions include an investigation into the substandard performance and notice to the Commission followed by a written report within 5 working days and a status report at the end of one (1) month. The Service Quality Measurement are as follows: Customer trouble reports, local dial service, installation of service, and operator handled calls.

If a customer has a concern about their FairPoint Communications' service or billing, he/she can contact repair service, technical support or customer service with information found on their statement. Customers may also contact agencies, through information posted in the phone directory, website, and tariff pages. All consumer complaints whether from Attorney Generals' offices, Public Utility Commissions, Better Business Bureaus, Federal Communications Commission and all other agencies are sent to the FairPoint Communications' Maine office via U.S. Mail or by electronic mail at consumer@fairpoint.com. The complaints are directed to the appropriate responsible Company Team member within FairPoint Communications for resolution and response to the customer.

¹ *Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service*, CC Docket No. 96-45, Report and Order, FCC 05-46 (rel. Mar. 17, 2005) ("2005 ETC Order").

² *Id.* at para. 28.



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Form 481 Line 610: Functionality in Emergency Situations

Business Continuity Plan Overview

Introduction

FairPoint Communications, Inc. ("FairPoint") is committed to maintaining a vigilant state of disaster preparedness for the interests of our customers, stockholders, employees and other critical stakeholders.

The purpose of our Business Continuity Plan (BCP) is to define the disaster preparedness and recovery protocols and procedures required to restore FairPoint's critical business support functions, inside and outside plant systems and operations within FairPoint's operating footprint.

BCP components detail FairPoint's procedures for preparing for and responding to an emergency situation affecting our ability to deliver core services to our customers and our ability to meet legal dictates, and regulatory requirements.

This document discusses the following:

- BCP Scope & Structure
- Recovery Strategies and Logistics
- Plan Maintenance and Exercising

BCP Scope

FairPoint's business continuity response planning is concentrated on two critical operational areas:

- Customer Interfacing – It is recognized that a "business impact" only occurs when an external-interfacing element is disrupted. In essence, this means that if FairPoint experiences a disruptive event, but one that does not breach the outer-shell of the FairPoint operation and interrupt critical customer services, customer product or other external end-user, then it does not have a business impact, as defined by the BCP
- Infrastructure Integrity – Without critical infrastructure systems, the ability for all other FairPoint business operations (back/front office) can come to a halt. It is these infrastructure systems that provide the critical human-factor of our customer-interfacing services. Critical infrastructure would address such services / systems as, building space for staff, service utilities, telecom network, IT network, etc.

The BCP has been developed to assure the continuity of critical customer interfacing services and systems should a physical incident or workforce disruption event occur, which affects:

- IT/IS
- Administrative and Support Operations
- Inside and Outside Plant Operations
- NOC (Network Operations Center)
- E-9-1-1
- Dispatch
- Repair Center

FairPoint has developed response / recovery strategies addressing physically disruptive incidents and workforce related disruptive incidents (i.e., work-stoppage and pandemic). All response strategies are based on recovery time objectives of those department functions and critical infrastructure systems essential to sustain customer interfacing services.



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BCP Structure

The BCP consists of several components:

- The BCP Manual (an overview of all BCP documents)
- IR Playbooks (addresses the response procedures for Physical and Workforce related events),
- Appendices (the IR Playbook procedures links to these Resources Files)
- Department Recovery Plans (Business and Plant Operations)
- Business Impact Assessments (Business and Plant Operations)

The Event Response diagram below identifies the overall BCP documentation and how a disruption or incident will dictate which path of the BCP will be followed to restore business operations.

Once the incident or disruption occurs, the impact first needs to be quickly assessed to determine whether it is a physically disruptive event (local or regional) ("Physically Disruptive Event") or a workforce disruptive event (work-stoppage or pandemic) ("Work-Force Related Disruptive Event"). The disruption is always focused on critical business operations and services that can impact customer interfacing / deliverables.



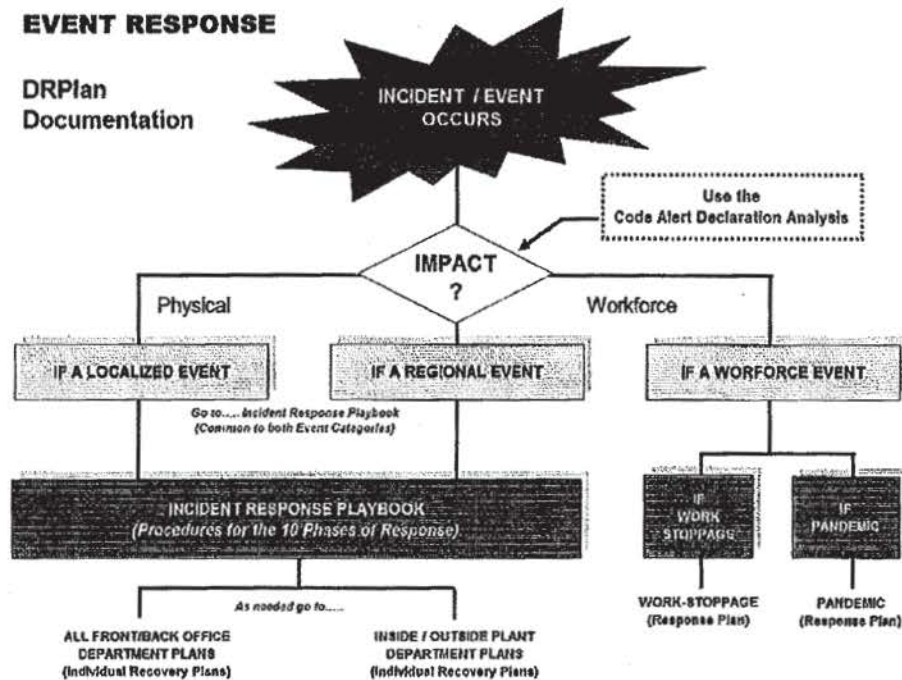
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EVENT RESPONSE

DRPlan
Documentation



Recovery Strategies and Logistics

Our BCP is based on the premise that FairPoint cannot stop disasters from occurring, but we can address the IMPACT of incidents should they occur. Where possible we will provide risk mitigation measures that will minimize the likelihood of having a serious disruptive incident but in no case can we eliminate all disruptive possibilities. The BCP is triggered by a Disruption Scenario, not a Threat Scenario. FairPoint pre-plans for potential break-points that can result in a customer interfacing disruption and incorporates recovery strategies that will inherently address any potential threat and any resulting business disruption impact. The actual threat (i.e. fire, flood, etc.) is pertinent only with respect to immediate response activities. All subsequent response efforts are focused on the assessment of damages (physical losses and recovery duration) and the implementation of restoration and recovery strategies. The restoration of the business servicing operations and infrastructure systems is based on salvage, replacement of systems and alternate functionality measures, which are pre-defined in the BCP.

Each department has developed a recovery plan based on its critical operations as they pertain to the deliverables they contribute to our customers. FairPoint has triaged the recovery efforts based on the concept of customer servicing impact. Federal and State regulatory requirements have a high level of consideration in



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addition to the business impact concerns. The BCP goal is to minimize the disruption duration as much as is practical and provide a level of risk mitigation that will maintain critical operations.

The Ten Response Phases of Physical Event are:

- Incident Notification
- Visual Damage Assessment
- Incident Stabilization
- Command Center Initiation
- Initial Notifications to Business Departments – to activate plans
- Primary Site Damage Assessments
- Ready Alternate Restoration Sites
- Primary Site Salvage & Recovery
- Business Restoration Process
- Primary Site Re-established

Plan Maintenance and Exercising

The BCP is a living document. Updates to the plan are ongoing with changes incorporated annually at a minimum. Individual plan components are scenario tested with oversight from FairPoint's Corporate Risk Management Team.

<701>	Residential Local Service Charge Effective Date	1/1/2014
<702>	Single State-wide Residential Local Service Charge	

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State	Exchange (ILEC)	Residential Rate	State Regulated Fees	Total Rates and Fees	Broadband Service - Download Speed (Mbps)	Broadband Service - Upload Speed (Mbps)	Usage Allowance (GB)	Usage Allowance Action Taken When Limit Reached (select)

(800) Operating Companies Data Collection Form		ECR Form 37 OMB Control No. 3050-0065/OMB Control No. 3050-0019 Rev. 2013
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Affiliates	SAC	Doing Business As Company or Brand Designation
BE Mobile Communications, Incorporated		dba FairPoint Long Distance
Bentleyville Communications Corporation	170145	dba FairPoint Communications
Berkshire Cable Corp.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
Berkshire Cellular, Inc.		
Berkshire New York Access, Inc.		
Berkshire Telephone Corporation	150073	dba FairPoint Communications
Big Sandy Telecom, Inc.	462192	dba FairPoint Communications / Big Sandy Telecom, Inc.
Bluestem Telephone Company	411835	dba FairPoint Communications
C & E Communications, Ltd.		
Chautauqua & Erie Communications, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
Chautauqua and Erie Telephone Corporation	150078	dba FairPoint Communications
China Telephone Company	100004	dba FairPoint Communications ? China Telephone Company
Chouteau Telephone Company	431981	dba FairPoint Communications
Columbine Telecom Company (E/k/a Columbine Acquisition Corp.	462204	dba FairPoint Communications / Columbine Telecom Company
Columbus Grove Telephone Company	300604	dba FairPoint Communications
COM Networks, Inc.		
Comerco, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
Community Service Telephone Co.	100015	dba FairPoint Communications ? Community Service Telephone Co.
C-R Communications, Inc.		
C-R Long Distance, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance / C-R Long Distance, Inc.
C-R Telephone Company	341009	dba FairPoint Communications / C-R Telephone Company
El Paso Long Distance Company		dba FairPoint Long Distance / El Paso Long Distance Company
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Enhanced Communications of Northern New England Inc.		
ExOp of Missouri, Inc.		dba FairPoint Communications
FairPoint Broadband, Inc.		dba FairPoint Communications
FairPoint Business Services LLC		
FairPoint Carrier Services, Inc.		
FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc.	42:472	dba FairPoint Communications
FairPoint Logistics, Inc. (f/k/a MJD Capital Corp.)		
FairPoint Vermont, Inc.		dba FairPoint Communications
Germantown Independent Telephone Company	300618	dba FairPoint Communications
Germantown Long Distance Company		dba FairPoint Long Distance
GTC Communications, Inc. (f/k/a TFG Communications, Inc.)		
GTC, Inc.	210291	(Florala) dba FairPoint Communications
GTC, Inc.	210329	(Perry) dba FairPoint Communications
Maine Telephone Company	100025	dba FairPoint Communications ? Maine Telephone Company
Marianna and Scenery Hill Telephone Company	170185	dba FairPoint Communications
Marianna Tel, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
MJD Services Corp.		
MJD Ventures, Inc.		
Northern New England Telephone Operations LLC - Maine	105111	dba FairPoint Communications
Northern New England Telephone Operations LLC - Maine	125113	dba FairPoint Communications
Northland Telephone Company of Maine, Inc.	103313	dba FairPoint Communications ? Northland Telephone Company of Maine, Inc. (Maine)
Odin Telephone Exchange, Inc.	341065	dba FairPoint Communications / Odin Telephone Exchange, Inc.

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Orwell Communications, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
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Peoples Mutual Long Distance Company		dba FairPoint Long Distance
Peoples Mutual Telephone Company	190244	dba FairPoint Communications
Quality One Technologies, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
Ravenswood Communications, Inc.		
Sidney Telephone Company	103313	dba FairPoint Communications ? Sidney Telephone Company
ST Enterprises, Ltd.		
ST Long Distance, Inc.		FairPoint Long Distance (Kansas, Colorado, Oklahoma)
ST Long Distance, Inc.		FairPoint Long Distance / ST Long Distance, Inc. (Illinois)
ST Long Distance, Inc.		FairPoint Communications Long Distance (Missouri)
St. Joe Communications, Inc.	210339	dba FairPoint Communications
Standish Telephone Company	100025	dba FairPoint Communications ? Standish Telephone Company
Sunflower Telephone Company, Inc.	461835	dba FairPoint Communications/Sunflower Telephone Company, Inc. (Colorado)
Taconic Technology Corp.		
Taconic TelCom Corp.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
Taconic Telephone Corp.	150084	dba FairPoint Communications
Telephone Operating Company of Vermont LLC	149115	dba FairPoint Communications
The El Paso Telephone Company	341004	dba FairPoint Communications
UI Long Distance, Inc.		dba FairPoint Long Distance
Unite Communications Systems, Inc.		FairPoint Communications
Utilities, Inc.		dba FairPoint Communications (Maine)
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Line 1010 –Voice Service Rate Comparability

The pricing of the company's voice services is no more than two standard deviations above the applicable national average urban rate for voice service, as specified in the most recent public notice, FCC DA14-384 released on March 20, 2014.

For Rates See Attachment: (700) Company Price Offerings (voice)

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Marianna and Scenery Telephone Co. provides a Lifeline Program discount for residence service for eligible low income customers. The Lifeline Program discount is applied to any month to month residence local service, package or bundle offering. The discount is intended to offset the Subscriber Line Charge and local line charge, although eligible packages and bundles may have toll calling included in the pricing for the offering.

The tariff pages outlining the terms of the Lifeline offering in Marianna and Scenery Telephone Co. are attached. The terms and conditions of residential local service can be found at <http://www.tariffs.net/fairpoint/tier.asp?cid=1644>.

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LIFELINE SERVICE

A. DESCRIPTION

Lifeline Service is a federally funded program established to provide monthly assistance to residential low income households who qualify for this service in accordance with the following regulations.

B. REGULATIONS

1. Lifeline Service is available to qualified residence customers and is provided via a residence individual Dial Tone Line. Lifeline Service is limited to only one Service per qualified customer or household (A household is defined as "any individual or group of individuals who are living together as one economic unit". An economic unit is "all adult individuals contributing to and sharing in the income expenses of a household"). A potential Lifeline customer who has an outstanding final bill for telephone service which is less than (4) years old must pay the entire balance of any Basic Service final bill before being eligible for Lifeline Service.
2. Residence Lifeline Service consists of the following tariffed standard features and optional customer elected services at the applicable rates, charges and regulations for each feature and service provided:
 - a. One-Party Residence Unlimited Service and Local Measured Service, if available.
 - b. Directory Listing (standard only).
 - c. Non-Published or Non-Listed Telephone Number Service.
 - d. Access to Directory Assistance Service.
 - e. Touch Tone Calling Service.
 - f. Access to Message Toll Telephone Service and Optional Dial Station-To-Station Calling Plan Services. However, the Residence Lifeline Dial Tone Line will be blocked from dial station access to 976/556/900 and any other type of Audiotex Service.
 - g. Access to Operator Services.
 - h. Voluntary Toll Restriction Option.
 - i. Access to 800/888 Services.
 - j. Access to Call Trace.
 - k. Access to Alerting and Reporting Systems (9-1-1 dialing).
 - l. Access to the Pennsylvania Telecommunications Relay Service.
 - m. Caller ID Per-call and Per-line Blocking
 - n. Other eligible telecommunications services at tariffed rates.

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B. REGULATIONS (cont.)

3. An applicant for Lifeline Service must be a current participant in one of the following Pennsylvania programs, or be able to provide proof of household income which is at or below 135% of the annual Federal Poverty Guidelines for all States (except Alaska and Hawaii) and the District of Columbia. Recertification of Lifeline service participants must be conducted annually by Marianna and Scenery Hill Telephone Company to ensure continued eligibility. Lifeline customers have the responsibility to notify the Telephone Company within thirty (30) days of a change in eligibility status if they no longer qualify for Lifeline Service

Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare Lifeline Service Programs:

- * Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
- * Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- * Medicaid
- * Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) (f/k/a Food Stamps)
- * Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

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Additional Eligible Programs (Federal)

- * Federal Public Housing
- * National School Free Lunch Program

The DPW Programs listed above must be certified by DPW. Such certification by DPW will be provided only when a DPW client requests Lifeline Service based on the client's status as a participant in any of the above eligibility programs. Certification by DPW will be limited to confirmation of the client's program status (i.e., participation or non-participation). Participation by DPW is subject to execution of an agreement with DPW and Marianna and Scenery Hill Telephone Company.

4. Lifeline Service will be provided to a customer only so long as such customer continues to meet the participation and certification guidelines in 2 (c) above. At the time of initial establishment of Lifeline Service, the customer agrees to have his or her eligibility recertified annually by Marianna and Scenery Hill Telephone Company. When the Company is notified by the customer or determines through recertification that the Lifeline Service customer is no longer a participant in the DPW programs in 2 (c) above or otherwise low-income eligible, the customer will be notified (by telephone or letter) that the Lifeline Service rate is no longer applicable. Within the stated customer notification period (30 working days from the date of the notification), the customer can contact the Company to negotiate new Dial Tone Service arrangements at applicable tariff rates (no connection charges will apply for existing services or options retained). If the customer does not contact the Company by the end of the notification period, the Lifeline Service will be changed to applicable Exchange Area Dial Tone Line service at existing tariff rates (no connection charges will apply to existing services or options retained).

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B. REGULATIONS (cont.)

5. A Lifeline Service customer may not subscribe to any other type of residence Local Exchange Service at the same or other premises. Lifeline Service will not be provided via Foreign Exchange or Foreign Central Office Service arrangements.
6. Only services listed in B (2) above will be provided to Lifeline customers.
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7. Customer requested temporary suspension of Lifeline Service is not permitted.
8. Lifeline Service does not apply to applicants who are full time students living in university or college controlled housing.
9. The applicant must not be a dependent for Federal Income Tax purposes, unless he or she is 60 years of age or older.
10. Lifeline customers are subject to all Residence service regulations in this and other tariffs of Marianna and Scenery Hill Telephone Company.
11. Residence Lifeline Service cannot be resold by the Lifeline customer or the Lifeline customer's agent(s).
12. Resale of Lifeline Services are subject to wholesale rate obligations under Section 251 (c)(4) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.
13. All outstanding charges, account balances and service restrictions apply to existing customers who qualify for Lifeline Service. Service restrictions will remain until the arrearage(s) have been paid in full.
14. Any Lifeline customer who has a past due balance of Toll Charges will be treated with the appropriate Chapter 64 regulations. The Residence Toll Restoral Charge applies to Lifeline Customers who are suspended for non-payment and who subsequently pay their outstanding toll charges and request toll restoral. If a Lifeline customer is toll restricted for a second occurrence the Company may, at its discretion, place the Lifeline customer on permanent toll restriction.
15. Toll-Blocking and Toll-Control services will be provided at no charge to Lifeline Service subscribers, to the extent that they are offered.

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C. LIFELINE SERVICE DIAL TONE MONTHLY RATE

1. Applicable Residence Dial Tone monthly rate minus \$9.25⁽¹⁾. (I)
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2. Lifeline Service is subject to all applicable state, local and federal taxes, and Surcharges, and to all applicable tariff rates, charges, surcharges and regulations. (C)

NOTE:

- ⁽¹⁾ See FCC Public Notice released May 1, 2012, In re: *Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization et al.*, Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, WC Docket Nos. 11-42 et al., CC Docket No. 96-45, FCC 12-11 (rel. Feb. 6, 2012). (C)

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